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VERIFICATION

Jerry Gilmore, being duly sworn, states on oath that he is Director - Local Performance for Southwestern Bell Telephone Company/Illinois Bell Telephone Company Negotiations and Interconnection, and that the facts stated in the foregoing Joint Petition for Approval of Negotiated Agreement and Statement in Support of Joint Petition for Approval are true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of February

ELAINE RICHARDS Notary Public, State of Texas My Commission Expires 02-15-04

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VERIFICATION

Jacquetta Peace, being duly sworn, states on oath that she is Director – Regulatory / Compliance / Special Projects for Premiere Network Services, Inc., and that the facts stated in the foregoing Joint Petition for Approval of Negotiated Agreement and Statement in Support of Joint Petition for Approval are ture and correct to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.

Jacquetta Peace

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of March, 2002.

Notary Public

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